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Application No.: 10/013,988 Examiner: E. Solis

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For: MULTI-CYCLE, ENGINE BRAKING WITH POSITIVE POWER VALVE
ACTUATION CONTROL SYSTEM AND PROCESS FOR USING THE
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Attorney Docket No.: 34090-06263

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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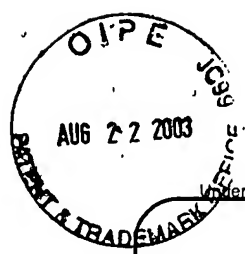
In response to the Notice of Non-Compliance dated July 28, 2003, and the telephone conversation between the Examiner and Applicants' undersigned representative on August 20, 2003, Applicants re-submit the following amendment and remarks in compliance with 37 CFR 1.173(b). Please amend the above-identified reissue patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Replace the paragraph beginning at column 12, line ⁵⁹~~54~~ with the following:

The rocker arms 100, 200, and 300 are spaced along a common rocker shaft 11 having at least one passage. The common rocker shaft 11 has a passage 12 through

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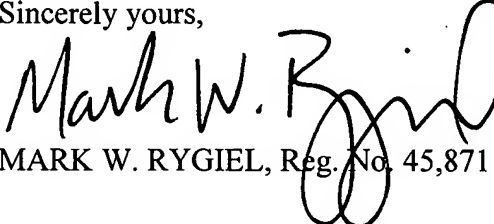
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Transmitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-referenced application are the following documents:

- (1) Transmittal Form (1 page); and
- (2) Amendment and Response (10 pages).

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